REMEDIAL SITE ASSESSMENT DECISION - EPA REGION II

Site Name: IDEAL PLATING AND POLISHING CO. EPA ID#: NJD087280038 State ID#:

Alias Site Names:

City: BELLEVILLE County or Parish: ESSEX State: NJ

Refer to Report Dated: 95/06/15 Report type: SI

Report developed by: DEP

DECISION:

|XX| 1. Further Remedial Site Assessment under CERCLA (Superfund) is not required because:

|XX| 1a. Site does not qualify for further remedial site assessment under CERCLA (Site Evaluation Accomplished - SEA)

| 1b. Site may qualify for further action, but is deferred to:

| | 2. Further Assessment Needed Under CERCLA:

2a. Priority: | Higher | Lower

2b. Other: (recommended action) NFRAP

DISCUSSION/RATIONALE: Ideal Plating is an active RCRA site located within an industrial park, "The Center", in Belleville. The original PA postulated that contaminated soil near the site was the attributable to the Ideal Plating Co. A subsequent investigation found that, although Ideal Plating may have contaminated a small portion of the soil within the site, the contamination of concern (i.e., with targets) cannot be attributed to Ideal Plating. The PREscore then dropped to zero for all pathways.

GW: Soil contamination not attributed to Ideal Plating. All onsite waste is directed to municipal sewer line. Passaic Valley Water Commission stated that Ideal Plating's waste did not pose a problem.

SW: No indication of pathway or source.

AIR: This site is an active site and requires NJDEP permits for all air releases.

Therefore, a NFRAP recommendation is accepted.

A Discovery has been entered for L. Sonnenborn and Sons, Inc. in CERCLIS. This site may be the cause of the contamination at the site.

Site Decision

Made by: Dennis Munhall

Signature:

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